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MAIL STOP PATENT APPLICATION
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Re: Application of Hironori ENDO
PRINTING APPARATUS, PATTERN, AND COMPUTER
Divisional of Application 10/370,070
Assignee: SEIKO EPSON CORPORATION
Our Ref. Q79906

Dear Sir:

Attached hereto is the application identified above comprising thirty-six sheets of the specification, including the claims and abstract and fifteen (15) sheets of drawings (Figures 1-15). This Application is a Divisional of Application of Application 10/370,070. Enclosed is a copy of the executed Declaration and Power of Attorney and Assignment as filed in the parent application no. 10/370,070 and an Information Disclosure Statement and PTO/SB/08 A & B (modified).

The prior application is assigned to Group Art Unit 2853.

Priority is claimed from:

<u>Country</u>	<u>Application No</u>	<u>Filing Date</u>
US	10/370,070	February 21, 2003
Japan	2002-45204	February 21, 2002
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The priority documents were filed in parent Application No. 10/370,070.



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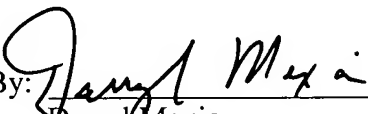
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Independent claims	<u>5</u> - 3	=	<u>2</u>	x	\$86.00	=	<u> </u>	\$172.00
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